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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

SHARMA ET AL.

APPLICATION NO: 10/519,042

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FOR: PEPTIDE INHIBITORS OF SMAC PROTEIN BINDING TO  
INHIBITOR OF APOPTOSIS PROTEINS (IAP)

**MS: Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the outstanding office action dated February 14, 2008, a response to which is due August 14, 2008 with the attached extension request, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the list of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.